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THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY
FOR THE AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

(As presented)

(Attorney-General)

**Crimes Legislation (Status and Citation)
Bill 1991**

A BILL

FOR

**An Act to provide for the Crimes Act, 1900 of the
State of New South Wales in its application in the
Territory to be treated as an Act passed by the
Legislative Assembly and to be cited accordingly, and
for related purposes**

The Legislative Assembly for the Australian Capital Territory enacts as follows:

Short title

- 5 1. This Act may be cited as the *Crimes Legislation (Status and Citation) Act 1991*.

Interpretation

2. In this Act—

10 “applied State Act” means the Crimes Act, 1900 of the State of New South Wales in its application in the Territory as amended and in force immediately before the commencement of this Act.

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Status

5 3. (1) The applied State Act shall be taken to be, for all purposes, a law made by the Legislative Assembly as if the provisions of the applied State Act had been re-enacted in an Act passed by the Assembly and taking effect on the commencement of this Act.

(2) Without limiting the generality of subsection (1), on and after the commencement of this Act, the applied State Act shall not be taken to be a continued State law within the meaning of the *Interpretation Act 1967*.

Citation

10 4. The applied State Act may be cited as the *Crimes Act 1900*.

References in other laws

15 5. (1) A reference in a law of the Territory to the Crimes Act, 1900 of the State of New South Wales in its application in the Territory shall, on and after the commencement of this Act, be read as a reference to the *Crimes Act 1900*.

(2) Section 41 of the *Interpretation Act 1967* applies in relation to the applied State Act as if the short title specified in section 4 was the short title of the applied State Act as originally passed.